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GOLD PENS-Just received a full assortment of Newton's celebrated GOLD PENS. For sale at m \_ufacturer's prices. TAYLOR

TELEGRAMS, &c.

The reform agitation in Europe is increasing. John Bright will address a meeting in Birmingham early in December. It is reported that Lord Woodehouse will succeed Lord Bloomfield as minister to Vienna. The cattle plague is reported on the increase. A military riot had occurred at Martinique between the zouaves and the marines. Fifty were killed and nineteen wounded. The escape of Stephens, the Fenian head-centre, is supposed to have been aided by the prison officials, bu it is a mystery how it was effected. A meeting has been called in Liverpool in relation to the late affairs in Jamaica.

The Virginia Legislature yesterday amended the State constitution so as to render eligible to office persons excluded under the third article. Mr. Hurst, of Norfolk, offered a resolution referring to the report that General Butler was about to take charge of this military department, impugning his honesty in sarcastic terms. A preamble and resolution were offered in the House, earnestly recommending the pardon of ex-Senator Hunter and Rober

The annual report of the Directors of the United States Mint for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1865, exhibits a large recepit of bullion, in fact, a large increase over the averages of previous years. The gold received in buillions is thirty-one millions, silver one million one hundred thousand dollars; total, thirty-two millions.

There is a great excitement, says a San Francisco despatch, in Victoria, Georgia, over the reported discovery of rich placers at Big Bend. The largest nugget yet found was worth \$4,000. One man took out \$800 in one day. To make \$300 a day was a common thing. General Sheridan has ordered the continuance of the gratuitous issue of Federal rations to the destitute poor of Louisiana until the 1st of January, when the Legislature of that State

A report submitted to the annual Conference of the Georgia Methodist Church, lately convened at Macon, showed that the Methodist book and publishing interest had lost \$10,000 by the failure of rebel currency. A grand Southern ball was given at St.

will be able to provide for all such.

Louis, Wednesday night. Two thousand guests were present including ladies from New Orleans, Memphis, Nashville, Louisville and other Southern cities. The rebel General Markham was elected President of the South Side railroad, on Thursday.

The Richmond City Council has organized a police force. REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF

INTERNAL REVENUE.

The Report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue is an interesting and important document. The Commissioner speaks in favorable terms of the patience of the people under the burdens of taxation, and shows from statistics that the aggregate receipts have for the past fiscal year been largely above those of the previous year. The following statement exhibits the amount of receipts from internal revenue for the past three years :- Receipts for 1863 (ten months). \$41,003,192; 1864, \$116,says the actual cost of assessing and collecting the internal revenue will amount to two and three-quarters per cent, of the receipts.

The actual annual cost for the collection of the customs amounts to three and one-half per cent. of the receipts, which is much below the cost of collecting the customs in Great Britain. Among the articles from which the internal revenue of the United States is derived it may be interesting to enumerate the following: Bank dividends, \$3,987,200; railroad dividends and interest on bonds, \$3,258,404; insurance companies, \$1.726,160; salaries of persons employed by the Government, \$2,836,333; revenue stamps, \$11,162,302-being more than double that of the previous year; licenses, \$12,595,691; incomes, \$20,567,340, or about six millions more than in 1864. Of the amount collected from incomes in 1863,

\$279,333 were returned at five per cent. upon incomes above ten thousand dollars, \$172,770 at three per cent, upon incomes of less than ten thousand dollars, and \$3,637 upon incomes from United States securities. Of that collected in 1864, \$6,913,834 were returned at five per cent., \$7,930,070 at three per cent., and \$75,373 at one and one-half per cent. Of that collected in 1865, \$801,941 were returned at ten per cent. \$9,934.748 at five per cent., \$9,697,246 at three per cent., and \$133,402 at one and one-half per

The receipts from iron and steel, in the various forms specifically named, were \$9,219,713. or nearly six millions more than the previous year; from refined petroleum and coal oil, \$3,047,212, being an increase of about 800,000 over 1864; cigars, \$3,669,448; tobacco, \$8,016,119; fermented liquors, \$3,657.091, distilled spirits, \$15,095,633, or nearly thirteen millions less than the previous year. The Commissioner devotes a considerable portion of his report to explaining why the receipts from distilled spirits, with a tax of two dollars per gallon, are so much less than they ware when the tax was to the second of t less than they were when the tax was but sixty

cents per gallon. The receipts for the current fiscal year are estimated to reach \$272,000,000, or about sixty millions more than last year. The Commissioner suggests an alteration in the mode of appointing assistant assessors, and urges an increase in their compensation, as well as in that of the clerks employed in the Internal Revenue Bureau. An additional allowance for office rent is also recommended. The Commissioner suggests several amendments in relation to stamp duties, the duties of the Tax Commissioners, and other changes in the law. whereby doubtful points can be definitely

UNACCOUNTABLE DISAPPEARANCE OF MR. S. W. GLENN, OF NORFOLK,-Mr. S. W. Glenn. well known in this city, and until recently manager of the Norfolk Theatre, who a few days since became the lessee of the Richmond Theatre, left Richmond on Saturday last, says the correspondent of the New York Herald, to go to Petersburg for some three thousand dollars, which was to be paid as a part consideration for his future lease of the Richmond establishment, and has not since been heard from. It is believed that he procured the money, and it is known that he left Petersburg for Richmond on Sunday afternoon, being last seen on his return at Manchester, an opposite suburb of Richmond, across the James river. The conjectures as to his whereabouts are numerous, and the most harrowing apprehensions are felt as to his satety. Many, however, believe that he has been murdered.

The workingmen of Trenton, N. J., have opened a co-operative store in that city. The Gazette says: "Besides the articles usually termed groceries, the co-operative store sells butcher's meat, sausages, poultry, &c., cedar ware, hollow ware, crockery and glass ware, and a great number of other articles, all at very moderate prices. The rule is to purchase good and pure articles, and sell them at a moderate profit. They have but one price for each article, and that is paid by stockholders as well as others. In other words, a person who is not a stockholder can buy just as cheaply as a person who is. The business is conducted precisely as in any other well regulated store, although the co-operative store intends to charge smaller profits than those generally exacted by May rest assured of finding as comfortable accommodations with us as can be found in any first-class Hotel. North or South. Our friends, patrons and traveling public generally, visiting Washington,

AN OPPERING TOWARD PAYING OPP THE

AN OFFERING TOWARD PAYING OFF THE NATIONAL DEBT .- The Secretary of the Treasury yesterday received from a widow lady residing in New York city \$150, which she designed as a Thanksgiving offering towards paying off the national debt. She states that the amount is five per cent. of what she is worth; and also desires to know how much of the national debt would remain unpaid if every adult resident should pay five per cent. of their wealth towards paying off the debt, and how much her share would be to pay the debt en-

The president and directors of the Western Maryland Railroad Company held a meeting in Baltimore yesterday, and discussed the subject of an extension of the road to Hagers. town. In order to attain a fuller comprehension of the subject, a public meeting will be held at Hagerstown on Tuesday next, 12th in-It is an authentic historical fact that no

case of Asiatic cholera ever occurred in the basis of country embracing the mineral springs of Virginia. The sulphur and other mineral ingredients of those waters seem to be a specific preventative to this terrible disease and the entire family of disorders of which it is the most malignant type.

About three inches of snow fell at Poughkeepsie, New York, on Wednesday night.

comprising all shots and spatistic, at lever prints

meet on the 28th of Japuary to organize, and that the regular business of the session will commence on the 1st of February with the de-Nº. 3,983. livery of the Queen's speech. The question of Parliamentary reform shows increased agitation.

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John Bright will address a reform meeting in Birmingham early in December. He believes that the Government is well disposed towards

The Fenipus to be tried in Dublin.

Desparches from Dublin announce that Stephens, the lieux Center of the Fenian Brother-

heed in Ireland, escaped from prison at two o'clock on the morning of the 26th uit. His

escape and the mystery attending it caused

In the Court of Queen's Bench, at Dublin,

the Lord Chief Justice delivered the unani-

mous judgment of the court upon the writ of certicears, applied for by the Fenians, on the ground that it was not shown that a fair and

ENGLAND.

The Star says that Parliament will probably

in partial trial could not be had in Dublis.

The latest official report in regard to the cattle plague says that it is on the increase. The trial of Dr. Hunter, practicing in London under an American diploma, for criminally assaulting one of his lady patients, resulted in his acquittal.

LONDON, Nov. 25 .- The British Government offers a reward of £1,000 sterling for the recap-ture of Stephens, the Fenian Head Centre of Ireland. They also offer £300 sterling for information that may lead to his arrest, with a free pardon to any person or persons concerned in his escape who may give such infermation.

Nothing is known as to the mode or manner of Stephens' escape, except that his liberation must have been effected by some of the prison

DIFFICULTY AMONG THE FENIANS .- The Fenian Brotherhood in New York are having some internal troubles. On the 6th a card appeared in the New York papers, signed by ten members of the Senate of the Brotherhood, denouncing the proposed issue of Fenian bonds as unauthorized, and the bonds invalid, alleging as a reason that the agent whose name appears on the bonds has not only never been confirmed by the Senate but was rejected when submitted by the President (O'Mahoney) for confirmation. In reply to this, O'Mahoney publishes a card characterizing that of the Senate as "the self-written and self-published condemnation of ten long-timed malcontents, who have met in this city without legal au-thority," and says that "the Brotherhood, by a congress to be held in January next, will show its capacity to overcome domestic faction instigated by corrupt motives or by British gold, as it has demonstrated already its power to re-

spect law and further human freedom." The trouble arises in connection with the new bonds of the Irish Republic. The Philadelphia Convention established a regulation requiring that such bonds should bear the name of an agent nominated by President O'Mahoney and confirmed by the Senate. But Colonel O'Mahoney, so the "malcontents" allege, nominated himself for agent, unanimously confirmed the appointment, and forthwith proceeded to issue the bonds and receive therefore the greenbacks of Patrick and Bridget, whereupon, ten of the Senators publish a card warning bondholders that the scrip in question is valueless. The latest develop-ment is in the shape of the following notice, posted on the doors of the Fenian Headquarters, in Union square:

"It being deemed advisable to keep dishonest persons from the offices of the headquarters of the Fenian Brotherhood, as well the enemies of the Fenian Brotherhood from its immediate valuables, the following persons are excluded for perfidy until further notice. Per order. "JOHN O'MAHONEY, President, F. B. The following names appear on the handbill as the persons at whom it is aimed: James Gibbons, Philadelphia, Pa.; Michael Scanlan, Chicago, Ill.: J. W. Fitzgerald, Cincinnati, O.;

P. O'Rourke, New York city; P. Rannan, Louisville, Ky.: W. Sullivan, Tiffin, O.; Wm. Fleming, Troy, N. Y.; P. J. Meeban, New York City; Edward L. Cary, New York City, who are the ten above mentioned Fenian Senators. LARGE MEETING OF WORKINGMEN .- A large mass meeting of workingmen was held in New York, on Wednesday evening, in furtherance of the eight hour system. Speeches were made

by Edwin James and others. The New York

Forty-seven trade organizations were represented, in addition to sewing machine operators. These ladies occupied the seats immediately in front of the platform. The large hall was handsomely decorated with American flags, the platform being also profusely ornamented with Union colors. Transparencies and banners from the several Unions, bearing appropriate mottoes, were also prominently displayed. One of these bore the inscription, "Time for work," "Time for rest." A second was inscribed, " We know our rights, and dare maintain them." A third bore the motto, "The interests of labor and capital are inseparable: United we stand, divided we fall." A fourth, "Free men, no slaves." A fifth, "We demand our rights-eight hours a day; Eight hours is the motto of labor," &c. But the grandest part of the display was that of the band. One hundred pieces of music, an orchestra of volunteers from the Musicians' Protective Union, who played several pieces with such stirring flect as to call forth considerable applause. Upon the platform were to be seen the Hon. Judge Daly and other prominent citizens. Strong resolutions in favor of the eight hour system were adopted.

17 The commissioners, Major Gen. Cartis, Col. Simpson, United States Engineer Corps, and Prescott Smith, of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, appointed by the President to examme the recently opened sections of the Union Pacific Railroad in Kansas, report the road completed for sixty miles from its eastward terminus. Wyandotte. The first forty miles were accepted by the Government some two months ago. That portion just examined, the third section of twenty miles, is said to be a better road than the first forty miles. This company is about building a branch railroad from Lawrence to Leavenworth, and expect to have their main line completed to Fort Riley, one hundred and twenty-six miles from Wyandotte, by July next. The Leavenworth branch will be finished by the first of May. There is now a continuous line of railroad from the Capital of the Union to the Capital of Kansas, about 1,300 miles.

The members of the Third Baptist Church Freedmen) of Alexandria, have purchased the frame church and grounds attached to the corner of Princess and Patrick streets for the sum of \$3,000. This church belonged to the Methodist Episcopal denomination, but the war having dispersed the congregation the Trustees, Messrs. Harmon, Baggott, and Ware thought it best to dispose of it to the Freedmen. Rev. Geo. W. Parker is the pastor of this

road states that preparations have been made by which it will be put in immediate operation between Strasburg and Harrisonburg. As soon as orders can be obtained from the government for a return of the iron, which it is hoped will be soon, then the whole line will be relaid and trade and travel on this important road at once resumed. An attempt was made on Wednesday night, to throw the Express train off the track

The President of the Manassas Gap Rail-

boon Station, by placing a frog and rail off the track. The engine was thrown off, and axle bent, but no other damage done. Miss Anna Dickinson, in her lectures, makes a goods many "hits at husbands." We guess she will never get a chance to make one at a husband of her own .- Prentice.

17 One man was accidentally shot; another

on the Virginia Central Railroad, near Cob-

killed by falling from a wagon; two killed themselves; one jumped overboard; a sixth was run over by a horse-car; a seventh died from delirium tremens-all in one day in New York The colored population of Richmond, Va., is about seven thousand, two thousand of whom are worth from \$200 to \$500; two hundred have

property estimated at from \$500 to \$5,000, and

quite a number are worth from \$5,000 to A new mineral spring has been discovered near Gettysburg, Pa., on the farm where battle was joined on the first of the memorable three days of 1863. The water strongly resembles that of Vicby, and is not only salubtious but remarkably palatable, which mineral wa-

The timber for the bridge, on the Londonn and Hampshire Railroad, over Difficult Creek, has been sent up from Alexandria and Chief Engineer Blythe, with a sufficient force, is now employed in erecting it. When this bridge is built the road will soon be in running order to Farmwell, six miles from Leesburg. W One Fleming, a murderer under sentence

of death in Chicago, has sold his body to a med-

ical college for fifty dollars, to buy a new spit of clothes to be hung in. It is stated that the building in New York, which was formerly Rev. Dr. Osgood's church, and more recently the Broadway Athenoum, has been leased by John Brougham and others.

and is to be altered into a theater. An alleged burglar was arrested in New York last week, upon whom was found a check for fifty-three thousand dollars which was mailed at New York on the 10th ult. for Gen. Spinner, Treasurer of the United States A letter from Toronto says the number of Fenians enrolled and now drilling in Canada is nearly eighty-two thousand, of whom about

A correspondent writing from Galveston, Texas, says : "Cattle are selling, within fitty miles of here, at \$1.50 per head,"

one-half are said to be armed.